



Youth

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Note: The data below are intended for discussion purposes only. The demographic data are found from a variety of sources (i.e. Census Bureau, State Departement of Education, Oregon Youth Aurthority, etc). Youth ages are specifcied with each category listed.

121,000	youth live in Portland
21	percent of city's population under 18
20,246	children living in poverty in Portland
58	number of SUN Schools in the 6 different school districts in Portland
11,081	students in Portland are English Language Learners (E.L.L)
17,582	youth do not have health insurance coverage in Multnomah County
~2,000	youth are counted in the homeless system in Multnomah County each day
~40	percent of homeless youth in Portland identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual, Transgender, or Queer
9.7	percent of youth ages 20-24 are unemployed in Portland
19.5	percent of youth ages 16-19 are umemployed in Portland
727	youth from Portland entered as Freshmen in the Oregon University System in 2008
31.2	percent of youth ages 16-24 volunteer
90+	percent of youth in Portland Public Schools use the Trimet system
14,000+	youth in Portland Public Schools have a free bus pass through the YouthPass Program
77	percent of graduates in the David Douglas School District
84	percent of graduates in the Parkrose School District
68.5	percent of graduates in the Portland Public School District
2,061	youth statewide are incarcerated or in an Oregon Youth Authority program in 2008
872,000	visits by youth under 18 to Portland Parks and Recreation community centers in 2009